

## THIRTY-NINTH DAY

Wednesday, March 31, 1993

The Senate of the Seventeenth Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 1993, convened at 11:37 o'clock a.m. with the President in the Chair.

The Divine Blessing was invoked by Lieutenant Randal B. Craft, Chaplain for Combat Support Squadron 5, Pearl Harbor, Christian Science Church, after which the Roll was called showing all Senators present.

The President announced that he had read and approved the Journal of the Thirty-Eighth Day.

Senator Solomon recognized and introduced Anne Yuri Namba, as follows:

"Mr. President, it gives me great pleasure and pride to introduce to this body, today, Anne Yuri Namba.

"With the thought that we should recognize and encourage the talent and entrepreneurship of Hawaii's women, I wish to present this Senate certificate to Anne Yuri Namba, a local fashion designer, who has been recognized nationally and internationally.

"Her melding of East and West cultures through 'kimono' couture has been featured in 'Hawaiian Moving Company' of KGMB Channel 9, 'Working Women' of a TV station in Washington, D.C., and 'Frontrunners' of a TV station in Seattle, Washington. In all the programs, it was always mentioned that her fashions exemplified the racial harmony of Hawaii.

"At this time, Mr. President, I would like to read the certificate:

'Anne Yuri Namba was born and raised in Hawaii, attended the University of Hawaii, graduated from the Fashion Institute of Technology, and entered the highly competitive fashion industry in New York and Los Angeles. Traveling throughout the world observing native apparel of many lands, Anne found herself especially attracted by the infinite variety of patterns and colors associated with the Japanese kimono, and chose for her professional signature the application of traditional kimono material in Western designs.

'Today, the kimono couture of Anne Namba is nationally and internationally recognized - her original designs are even featured in the White House closet - and in 1992 she won Best of Show and Best of Category in the Governor's Fashion and Award Show.

'The Senate of the Seventeenth Legislature of the State of Hawaii congratulates Anne Yuri Namba for her distinctive creations, her contributions to the perception of Hawaii as a multicultural melting pot, and for demonstrating to Hawaii's youth that hard work and perseverance can pay off, even in the highly charged competitive world of high couture.'

"To show off the multiracial beauties of Hawaii, Anne has brought along two of her favorite models who are wearing her creations. One is Pam Kimura, Miss Hawaii 1993. Some of you may know her father, the former State Representative Robert Kimura. The other is Michelle Wong, a former Narcissus queen. (The young ladies modeled Ms. Namba's creations on the floor of the Senate.) Mahalo nui."

Ms. Namba stood to be recognized and was presented the Senate certificate of recognition by Senator Solomon.

Senator Tanaka presented her with a lei. Senators Blair and Hagino presented leis to Miss Kimura and Miss Wong.

Senator Solomon also introduced Mr. Dave Cassidy, husband of Anne Namba, who was seated in the audience with Dr. Ryoji Namba, Anne's father. (Both rose to be recognized.)

Senator Ikeda then introduced Miss 1993 Hawaii Teen Tiffany Boyles and Miss Kira Weber, as follows:

"Mr. President, I was honored to be a judge at the first Miss Hawaii Teen pageant, and we are very privileged this morning to have the winner, Miss 1993 Hawaii Teen, as well as two members of her court. I would like to tell you a little bit about them.

"One of the requirements that the contestants had to meet was to write an essay on what they felt were important issues and/or problems, that a young teen faces today. And in tandem with that essay came an interview by the judges and I must tell you that I was quite impressed with the depth and thought that was given to a lot of these issues. And I learned a lot about young teens today and the kinds of problems that they face in school.

"It gives me great pleasure this morning to present to you Tiffany Joy Boyles who is Miss Hawaii Teen of 1993. She is a student at Punahou who describes herself as a carefree and outgoing teenager whose ambition is to become a child psychologist. Tiffany was selected Bandperson of the Year by her peers in 1990 and also holds the title of Miss Island Teen of 1991-1992.

"Tiffany will represent Hawaii in the National Miss 1993 Teen World pageant. (Miss Boyles stood to be recognized.)

"Two of the young ladies who also placed in the pageant are not with us today but we also have with us this morning, Kira Weber. Kira is a third year student at Kaimuki High School. She enjoys music, performing arts, sports and aspires to be a good role model for today's teenage girls. She describes herself as being a people person, and I think I can vouch for that. She's a peer counselor at her school and a facilitator volunteer at the Coalition for Drug-Free Hawaii -- Kira Weber. (Miss Weber stood to be recognized.)

"Also with us is Miss Luana Alapa, a former Miss Hawaii, and the organizer and promoter of this pageant. Luana, thank you for joining us this morning." (Miss Alapa stood to be recognized.)

Senator Ikeda presented congratulatory Senate certificates to Miss Boyles and Miss Weber. Senators McCartney, Chang, Iwase, Holt and Koki presented the leis.

Senator Mizuguchi introduced Emeterio Dagdagan and Mei Ling Louis, students of Dole Intermediate School, who are participants of the "shadow" program sponsored by state Representative Dennis Arakaki. (The students, seated in the audience, stood to be recognized.)

Senator Nakasato introduced Alexander Aivao and Eleonor Agapito, 7th grade students, also from Dole Intermediate School, participants of the "shadow" program. (The students, also seated in the audience, stood to be recognized.)

At 11:51 o'clock a.m., the Senate stood in recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The Senate reconvened at 11:59 o'clock a.m.

### MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR

The following messages from the Governor (Gov. Msg. Nos. 275 to 278) were read by the Clerk and were disposed of as follows:

Gov. Msg. No. 275, dated March 15, 1993, transmitting the State Land Use District Boundary Review for Maui, Molokai, Lanai and Hawaii, and Executive Summary, prepared by the Office of State Planning pursuant to Section 205-18, HRS, was placed on file.

Gov. Msg. No. 276, dated March 19, 1993, transmitting the report of the Enterprise Zones Program 1992-1993, prepared by the Business Services Division, Department of Business, Economic Development and Tourism, pursuant to Chapter 209E, HRS, was placed on file.

Gov. Msg. No. 277, submitting for consideration and consent to the State Supreme Court, the nomination of PAULA AIKO NAKAYAMA for Associate Justice of the State Supreme Court, in accordance with the provisions of Article VI, Section 3, of the Hawaii State Constitution, for a term of ten years, was referred to the Committee on Executive Appointments.

Gov. Msg. No. 278, informing the Senate of the withdrawal of the nomination of Clifford E. Miller, Jr., to the Board of Examiners of Nursing Home Administrators, under Gov. Msg. No. 260 dated March 22, 1993, was placed on file.

In compliance with Gov. Msg. No. 278, the nomination listed under Gov. Msg. No. 260 was returned.

### HOUSE COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications from the House (Hse. Com. Nos. 382 and 383) were read by the Clerk and were disposed of as follows:

Hse. Com. No. 382, returning S.B. No. 1420, S.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 30, 1993, in an amended form, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator A. Kobayashi, seconded by Senator B. Kobayashi and carried, the Senate agreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1420, S.D. 1, and S.B. No. 1420, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING EMERGENCY APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE PAYMENT PROGRAMS," was placed on the calendar for Final Reading on Friday, April 2, 1993.

Hse. Com. No. 383, returning S.B. No. 1713, S.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 30, 1993, in an amended form, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator A. Kobayashi, seconded by Senator B. Kobayashi and carried, the Senate agreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1713, S.D. 1, and S.B. No. 1713, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING EMERGENCY APPROPRIATIONS FOR OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE STATE MEDICAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM," was placed on the calendar for Final Reading on Friday, April 2, 1993.

### STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Senator Nakasato, for the Committee on Tourism, Recreation and Transportation, presented a report (Stand Com. Rep. No. 1125) recommending that S.C.R. No. 48, be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Senator Nakasato, seconded by Senator George and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 48, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION OPPOSING, AND URGING THE GOVERNOR TO CERTIFY HIS OPPOSITION TO, THE MANDATORY SUSPENSION OF DRIVER'S LICENSES FOR DRUG CONVICTIONS," was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Senator Nakasato, for the Committee on Tourism, Recreation and Transportation, presented a report (Stand Com. Rep. No. 1126) recommending that S.C.R. No. 49, be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Senator Nakasato, seconded by Senator George and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 49, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION CERTIFYING THE LEGISLATURE'S OPPOSITION TO THE FEDERAL MANDATE REQUIRING STATES TO REVOKE THE DRIVER'S LICENSES OF DRUG OFFENDERS," was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

At 12:01 o'clock p.m., the Senate stood in recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The Senate reconvened at 12:03 o'clock p.m.

### ORDER OF THE DAY

#### MATTERS DEFERRED FROM TUESDAY, MARCH 30, 1993

#### AGREE/DISAGREE

S.B. No. 280, S.D. 1, H.D. 1 (Hse. Com. No. 381):

On motion by Senator Levin, seconded by Senator Blair and carried, the Senate agreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 280, S.D. 1, and S.B. No. 280, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS," was deferred until Friday, April 2, 1993.

At 12:04 o'clock p.m., the Senate stood in recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The Senate reconvened at 12:30 o'clock p.m.

#### THIRD READING

H.B. No. 1460, H.D. 1:

By unanimous consent, action on H.B. No. 1460, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A TAX ADMINISTRATION FUND," was deferred until Thursday, April 1, 1993.

At 12:31 o'clock p.m., the Senate stood in recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The Senate reconvened at 12:32 o'clock p.m.

H.B. No. 783, H.D. 1, S.D. 1:

By unanimous consent, action on H.B. No. 783, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL PROCEDURE," was deferred until Thursday, April 1, 1993.

**RE-REFERRAL OF HOUSE BILLS**

The Chair re-referred the following House bills that were received:

House Bill	Referred to:
No. 1686	Committee on Ways and Means
No. 1740, H.D. 1	Committee on Ways and Means

Senator Solomon rose to speak on a point of personal privilege, as follows:

"Mr. President, I rise to speak on a point of personal privilege.

"Mr. President, I attended the federal hearing today regarding the shutdown of Hamakua Sugar. As you know, Mr. President, this is a painful time for all of us on the Big Island, especially on the Hamakua Coast.

"With the appointment of a trustee, I felt a sense of relief when the judge agreed to give the trustee a two-week extension for the purpose of site visitations and to be able to further negotiate with the bargaining units regarding what I call 'people concerns' -- housing, electrical power, water and the disposition of the medical center. This was a major priority for me and for my community - Honokaa, Paauilo, Ookala, Paau and Kukuihaele - to stabilize housing and medical services for these communities.

"For the record, I would like to extend my sincere appreciation to Representative Takamine, the ILWU, the governor, his administration and to my colleagues here in the Legislature for working tirelessly for the community and making the best of that situation. Thank you, Mr. President."

**ADJOURNMENT**

At 12:34 o'clock p.m., on motion by Senator Ikeda, seconded by Senator Koki and carried, the Senate adjourned until 11:30 o'clock a.m., Thursday, April 1, 1993.